




THE BRITISH COLONIST.
Monday Morning, April 13, 1868.
TO ADVERTISERS.
Transient Advertisements must be paid for in advance to insure insertion.
TO AGENTS.
Settlements of accounts will be required monthly, or the supply of papers will be discontinued. The daily and weekly issues will be furnished at the lowest cash rates and no exception will in future be made to this rule.

We have not, hitherto, had time to take a general review of the proceedings of the Legislative Council during its present session, although several matters of grave interest to the Colony have been under consideration. Perhaps, the recess taken for the Easter holidays is the most fitting time to place before our readers a brief review of the spirit and purpose of the legislation which has so far been attempted. It is gratifying to observe, that while the attendance at an inconvenient season of the year, upon the whole, was good; there has been an absence of local or class Legislation, and a ready disposition shown by all parties to indorse and support every measure introduced which bore directly upon the higher interests of the Colony, and few of those interests have been overlooked. Our own members have left an excellent record. At all times watchful of the interests of their constituents, and the proprieties of Parliamentary proceedings they have manifested, as will be shown by our reports, a liberality towards and vigilance over the interests of their brother colonists at a distance, which reflect great credit upon them, and which, in our opinion, must go far towards convincing every unprejudiced mind that they have not, as charged, the least desire to oppose and kill every measure of good that does centre in Victoria. The extension of our foreign commerce by the adoption of drawbacks—the regulation of tariffs to protect our home produce of all kinds, the construction of roads to open up our immediate agricultural lands for occupation, the establishment of mutual benefit and co-operation Corporations amongst us, which have been so beneficial elsewhere, and the advocacy of a liberal policy in the possession of mineral lands, with other subsidiary and inferior matters, form the principal features of merit in their action. Other members representing constituencies on the mainland have been equally diligent and watchful, and with equal propriety advocated, and with equal propriety advocated, the establishment of the mail service upon a footing that without impartiality or the possibility of failure may reach the most distant districts. It appears to us the Colony will derive much good from the measures of the present Legislative sitting. First of all, the vexed and injurious contest upon the Capital of the United Colonies has been settled in a quiet and dignified manner, which we trust will remove forever the spirit of contention it has fostered so long. The immediate result of this step will be to draw a united action from all sections and all classes of politicians to carry out successfully the measures we have enumerated, and which already manifests itself in the mutual liberality of hitherto opposing factions. The vexatious and expensive anomaly of our Judiciary is in a fair way to receive a settlement agreeable to the wishes and interests of the people generally, according to present appearances, without exciting or leaving behind a feeling of anger and jealousy. A due regard for the honor and the welfare of the Colony will be maintained in the Limitation of Actions Bill, so that it will neither become a debtor's prison nor a lurking place for dishonest fugitives. The petition from the Hows Sound Copper Mining Co., will have a very good effect in directing attention to the immediate want of a uniform system in the disposal of our mineral lands. Perhaps one of the most agreeable and hopeful features of the legislation was the unanimous expression of liberality on the part of the Government in this respect, with a view to attract population to our shores, and to assist the development of our mineral ledges, which this petition drew from all sides of the House. Mining and agriculture, beyond doubt, at this period, form the two principal resources and means of increasing our population which we possess. If all are agreed to adopt the most liberal policy to open them up to competition, nothing can prevent its immediate adoption, and thus a great obstacle, in the opinion of many, to the progress of the Colony permanently removed. The attempt is worthy of legislative effort and will no doubt be gratefully acknowledged by the public. In those remarks we present the most prominent features of the session, so far as it has gone. Much has yet to be done, and the

grave question of Ways and Means to be met: but on the re-assembling next week we hope to see the same spirit of inquiry, moderation, intelligence, liberality and courtesy maintained to the end, feeling assured in that case the best interests of the Colony will be advanced.

By Electric Telegraph
SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.
LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.
STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.
PORTLAND, April 12—The steamer Active arrived at 1 o'clock this morning. The Continental is advertised for San Francisco on Thursday 16th. The Oriflamme sails from San Francisco for Alaska via Victoria on Monday afternoon. The Pacific sails from San Francisco for Portland on Monday.
Eastern States.
WASHINGTON, April 9—In the impeachment Court after examining two witnesses, Curtis commenced the opening argument for the defence and spoke till 4 p. m.
WASHINGTON, April 10—General Thomas testified that after informing the President that Stanton had asked for time to remove his papers, the President simply replied—“Very well, go on with your orders.” He did not see the President again till after his arrest and liberation on bail; he then visited the President and informed him that he was in custody and on what charge. The President said, “Very well; that's what I wanted.” He went into the War Office the same morning, demanding possession, which Stanton refused. He stated that after members of Congress and others had left he complained to Stanton that he had been arrested before breakfast and had had nothing to eat that morning. Stanton playfully said he could remedy that, and produced a bottle and they took a drink together. This was all the force used that day. (Laughter.) He declared that the President never directed him to use force to obtain possession of the War Office. He denied that he ever stated to Barleigh or anybody that he would call on Gen Grant or kick down the doors, or that he told Karsener he would kick that fellow out.
NEW YORK, April 10—Stephen J. Meany, Fenian Head Centre, arrived to-day, having been released from prison by the British Government on condition of his return to the United States.
The Abyssinian Expedition.
LONDON, April 10—The latest news from Abyssinia says Gen Napier had reached latitude 21 degrees. King Theodore was at Magdalla, ready for a siege. He has 5,000 men and 26 large guns.
Canada.
OTTAWA, April 9—The prisoner Whelan who was suspected of the murder of McGee was examined to-day by Police Magistrate. It was proved he had been several times arrested as a Fenian and for tampering with soldiers, and that he passed under different names.
The *Star* reporter of the House testified adding prisoner four different times to the gallery of the House on the night of the murder. Thought he appeared uneasy and excited.
Detective who arrested him testified in regard to the revolver found in his possession, one barrel recently discharged. Prisoner was remanded one week for further examination.
MONTREAL, April 9—The City Council voted \$10,000 to pay expenses of McGee's funeral, and offered a reward of \$5,000 for the arrest of the murderers. Whelan's wife has been arrested.
The foreman of a large manufacturing establishment has suddenly disappeared. He is known to have Fenian proclivities, and is suspected of complicity in the assassination.
The *Herald's* Montreal special says no doubt exists of the guilt of Whelan. A quantity of correspondence with New York Fenians has been unearthed, implicating several notables.
A quantity of nitro-glycerine brought from New York on forged orders has been discovered. It created immense excitement, as it is said a plot has been discovered to blow up the House of Parliament.
OTTAWA, April 9—The coroner's jury has rendered a verdict that McGee came to his death by a gunshot wound in the head by some person unknown.
MONTREAL, April 10—Three Fenian prisoners have turned Queen's evidence against Whelan, whose guilt is almost conclusively established.
California.
SAN FRANCISCO, April 10—There is good reason to believe that the order assigning General Halleck to duty at the east will be revoked and that he will be retained in command of the Pacific division.
Central America.
WASHINGTON, April 10—Panama advises say an agent of the North American Steamship Company contracts with the Guatemalan, Honduran and San Salvador Governments to run a line of steamers on the Pacific coast of Central America, in opposition to the Panama Railroad, with the privilege of extending to San Francisco.

New Advertisements.
NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO G. C. GEROW, or to Gerow & Bryant are hereby notified not to pay any accounts except to Mr. G. C. Gerow on his receipt.
April 13, 1868. G. C. GEROW. ap13 1w
NOTICE.
FROM AFTER THIS DATE, WE caution the public in general against giving credit to any person or persons on our accounts, as we will not be responsible for any debt incurred by any persons.
HENRY AND ELIZABETH NEWBUSH.
April 11th, 1868. ap13 2w
TO BE DISPOSED OF,
ON
The Island of San Juan,
About 1½ miles from the British Camp,
A CLAIM OF 100 ACRES; 60 ACRES under cultivation and Fenced in. Farming implements, &c. Also, the Dwelling and Outbuildings.
Apply to
MR JNO. A. FRASER,
San Juan Island.
ap13 1m
JULIUS SEITZ,
FURRIER,
JOHNSON STREET, CLOSE TO WHARF,
VICTORIA, B.C.
Will Pay the Highest Price for all kinds of Furs in season.
TRADERS AND TRAPPERS receiving Furs will find it to their advantage to give the above all before disposing of them elsewhere. ap12 1m
THOS RUSSELL,
(LATE HICKS & RUSSELL.)
Grocer & Provision Dealer,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
(Adjoining the Custom House.)
Orders from Navy Messes and Contracts faithfully fulfilled.
Goods sent to any part of the city free of cost for carriage. ap11
TO LET
A BAKERY, AT EQUUMALT, WELL fitted with all the appliances for carrying on the business.
Apply to
SAMUEL NEWITT,
Yates street, Victoria.
ap11 1m
WANTED.
AN EXPERIENCED DAIRYMAN. A married man preferred.
Apply at the
HUDSON BAY CO.'S OFFICE,
Wharf street.
ap10
WANTED.
A YOUNG LADY TO PROCEED TO CARIBBOON as Barmaid at a Hotel. The duties are light and the salary liberal.
Apply by letter, stating terms, &c., to D. L. Office of this paper. ap10 1w
MUNICIPAL.
TO CONTRACTORS.
Sealed Tenders will be received at the City Chambers until 4 p. m., on the 18th inst., for Grading, Filling in, and Macadamizing a Portion of Johnson street.
Plans and Specifications can be seen at the Town Clerks' Office, Broad street, daily between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.
By order of the Mayor and Council
WM. LEIGHT,
Town Clerk.
Ap10 1d
Musical Instruments
AND
Fancy Goods
EX “BYZANTIUM.”
LADIES' MOROCCO BAGS,
FURNISHED TOURIST'S CASES
AND
WRITING DESKS.
Stereoscopes & Stereoscopic Views,
PORTMONNAIES & WALLET
Concertinas, Guitars, Flutes, Fifes,
Cornets, French Accordions and Flutinas,
VIOLINS, IN VARIETY.
With their component parts detached.
Pegs, Tail Piece, Strings and Bow,
And Rosin to make the Fiddle go,
And the long piece down the middle,
To put the fiddlers on a fiddle.
ap10
T. N. HIBBEN & CO.
THEATRE ROYAL.
EASTER MONDAY,
APRIL 13, 1868.
FIRST BENEFIT
OF
GEORGE W. MARSH
In Victoria,
UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF
SIR JAMES DOUGLAS.
LAST PERFORMANCE OF THE SEASON
On which occasion the beautiful Two Act Comedy of the
LITTLE TREASURE
And the Farce of
NAN; THE GOOD FOR NOTHING,
Will be presented, with
MISS JENNY ARNOT (FOWLS)
In her great character of GENTRUDE, the Little Treasure, and NAN; with
GEO. W. MARSH,
In his personation of Walter Maidenblush.
MR MUSGRAVE W. ANDERSON,
as Sir Charles Howard and Tom Dribbles.
MISS LIZZIE YEOMAN,
As Lady Florence.
MRS MARSH,
As Mrs Middleton.
MR R. G. MARSH,
As Lord Flittermore.
MR FALCONER, REID, AND OTHERS.
GOLD PAUL DOUGHERTY, the FIFER
By a well-known Gentleman.
PRIOR—Dress Circle, \$1; Pit, 25 cents; Reserved Seats, \$1 25.
Doors open at 7½; Curtain will rise at 8 o'clock.
Box-office open on Saturday from 11 a. m. until 2 p. m.
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New Advertisements.
Soap! Soap! Soap!
Yardley & Co.'s
PRIZE MEDAL SOAP
In Tablets, Bars and Packages.
Also, their Celebrated
Hair Oil, “Lime Juice Glycerine,”
AND
The Ripulitor Hair Wash
“A Surpassing Comfort and Luxury.”
A consignment of the above and a complete assortment of
FRESH DRUGS,
Chemicals & Perfumery,
Just received from London, by
LANGLEY & CO.,
Yates street.
ap8 3m
1868.
BARNARD'S STAGES.
CARRYING MAILS, EXPRESS AND PASSENGERS.

WILL LEAVE YALE EVERY MONDAY MORNING, at 6,
And connect every THURSDAY EVENING with Steamer
“ENTERPRISE”
At Soda Creek, for Quenelle; reaching Barkerville on Saturday evenings.
Fast Freight contracted for at reasonable rate.
Passengers by this Line must leave Victoria by FRIDAY'S Steamer to make the connection.
Office, next door to Wells, Fargo & Co., Yates street.
ap6 1m
F. J. BARNARD.
WANTED.
A NURSERY GIRL. Apply at THIS OFFICE.
H. H. NAGLE.
Accountant, Collector and General Agent.
DEBTS AND RENTS COLLECTED
Loans negotiated, Accounts made up, and a General Agency Business transacted.
Office—Government street, Four doors south of Fort street.
ap8 1m
IN RE ARTESIAN COMPANY.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO those Shareholders who have not paid the calls, made by order of Mr Justice Eggle, that proceedings will be taken against them if the amount due by them is not paid in ten days from date.
Victoria, March 30, 1868. m31 10t
HOT + BUNS
AT
PIPER'S,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
ON
THURSDAY EVENING
FRIDAY and
SATURDAY.
ap8
Jesse Cowper,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
Boots & Shoes
LEATHER AND SHOE FINDINGS
Yates St., opp. Wells, Fargo & Co.'s.
At the Old Stand of Webster & Co., is prepared to supply the wants of the Public in his line.
THE LATEST STYLES
Received by every arrival from Eng and San Francisco ma8 1m
C. F. BARNARD, M. D.
Mechanical & Surgical Dentist.
OFFICE:—Douglas street, first house on the right South of Fort street.

ALL BRANCHES OF THE PRO-
fession skillfully executed. Teeth extracted without pain by the use of Chloroform, Ether, or “Nigileno Spray.”
Charge for the Extraction of Adult Teeth and Children's Second Teeth, without “Spray” or Chloroform \$1 each. Charge for Fillings and other Work, reduced, so as to conform to what is the exigency of the times.
Plates of Silver, Gold, or Vulcanite neatly, strongly and satisfactorily repaired, whether partially broken or completely divided in two. Advice Gratis.
Victoria, V. I., B. C., Aug. 9th, 1867. ly10 1y
G. SUTRO & CO.,
Corner of Yates and Wharf Streets,
IMPORTERS OF
CIGARS
TOBACCO.
fe7 3m 2p dww
NOTICE
FRESH AND A FEW DATES
will accept COIN for RENTS as well as for any other payments to be made to me.
Jd. LOWENBERG
ma30

New Advertisements.
BEST CLOTHING STORE
OPPOSITE POST OFFICE,
W. WILSON'S.
Gorduroy Pants \$2 50
Moleskin Pants. Best 2 25
Canvas Pants, Best 1 50
Grey Serge Shirts, Best 1 75
Hickory Shirts, Best 1 00
Four-Point Blankets 7 00
Cloth Overshirts & Superior Underclothing
CHEAP.
Schedule B.
GENERAL ABSTRACT Showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Colony of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter from 31st December, 1867 to 31st March, 1868:

LIABILITIES.	AM'T.	TOTALS.	ASSETS	AM'T.	TOTALS.
Notes in circulation, not bearing interest.....	\$128,873 00		Legal Tender Coin, in Gold and Silver.....	\$168,306 00	
Notes in circulation, bearing interest.....	25,879 35		Gold and Silver, in Bullion.....	32,303 59	
Bills in circulation, not bearing interest.....	342 183 43		Land and other Property.....	29,225 00	
Bills in circulation, bearing interest.....	102,316 00	444,499 43	Notes and Bills of other Banks.....	2,876 00	
Deposits, not bearing interest.....			Deposits due from other Banks and Branches.....	181,143 24	
Deposits, bearing interest.....			Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks.....	226,474 07	
Total amount of liabilities.....	\$509,251 78		Total amount of assets.....	\$648,328 09	
Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended March 31, 1868.....	\$5,000,000 00		Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders.....	6 p. ct p. an.	
Amount of the last Dividend declared.....	160,000 00		Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such dividend.....	746,000 00	
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such dividend.....			J. G. SHEPHERD, Manager.		
			JAS. GILLON, Accountant.		

Victoria, B. C., 31st March, 1867.
I, John Grant Shepherd, do hereby declare to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the foregoing abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Colony of the above Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the “Banking Act, 1864.”
(Signed) J. G. SHEPHERD, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, this 1st day of April, 1868.
(Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.
GENERAL ABSTRACT
Showing the average amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Colony of British Columbia, and its dependencies, taken from the several Weekly Statements for the Quarter ending 31st March, 1868.

LIABILITIES.	AM'T.	ASSETS	AM'T.
Notes in Circulation.....	\$110,289 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver.....	\$129,759 96
Balances due to other Banks and Branches.....	7,786 53	Gold and Silver Bullion.....	49,781 07
Deposits not bearing interest.....	\$106,633 62	Land and other Property.....	46,744 44
Deposits bearing interest.....	19,163 24	All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches.....	98,780 51
Total amount of Liabilities.....	\$243,872 29	Total amount of Assets.....	\$609,008 3
Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 31st March, 1868.....	\$1,400,000	Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders.....	4 p. ct p. annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared.....	\$29,860	Amount of the Reserved Profit at the time of declaring such dividend.....	\$107,870
Amount of the Reserved Profit at the time of declaring such dividend.....		WM. C. WARD, Manager.	
		W. W. FRANKS, Accountant.	

VICTORIA, B. C., 31st March, 1868.
I, William Curtis Ward, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Assets and Liabilities within this Colony, of this Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of “The Banking Act, 1864.”
(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 3d day of April, 1868.
(Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.
FRESH SEEDS.
Yates street, - - Victoria.
JAY & BALES
Are prepared to supply FRESH Island raised and Imported
Agricultural, Vegetable & Flower Seeds
Of every description, Wholesale and Retail, at greatly reduced prices.
Seeds carefully packed for travel. Tests on view at the Store. ja22 d&w
Scotch House.
A. M'LEAN & CO.
GENERAL OUTFITTERS,
Beg to intimate that they have received
A very Choice Assortment of Goods for the Winter and Fall Trade, comprising:
Gentlemen's Clothing,
Underclothing,
Baltic and White Shirts,
Waterproof Coats,
Hats, Boots, &c., &c., &c.
—ALSO—
BOYS' CLOTHING,
In Suits, Pants & Inverness Capes in great variety
All which they can with confidence recommend, and would solicit an early inspection of the same, as they will be sold at the smallest possible advance on English cost, to make room for other shipments. mall 3m
Reduction! Reduction!
FOR SIXTY DAYS ONLY!
A. BULER & CO.
Being desirous to make room for their Spring shipments, offer for sale their large and well selected Stock of
CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS,
AND EVERYTHING IN THEIR LINE,
At unprecedentedly Low Prices FOR CASH.
To be convinced of the above call and see.
GOVERNMENT STREET (Opposite the Theatre), VICTORIA, V.I.
ja16 3m

DIED.

In this City, Mabel Harriet Jane, aged 2 years 9 months, third daughter of George Elmes Nas.

Auction Sales To-day.

J. P. DAVIES & Co., Wharf Street, will sell at 11 o'clock, at Building formerly occupied by Mr. Bagnal, Fort, Salt, Chickory, Butter, Lard, Bacon, Stoves, Plates, Dishes, Steam Boilers, Coffee Mill; also 10 doz Fine Laying Hens, &c.

THE JUDICIARY.—If we have misquoted our contemporary's article on the Judiciary, we are sorry; but we did not understand him to say that the public are dissatisfied with Mr. Needham's decisions, while he certainly did say that every lawyer save one is, which we consider the silliest proposition that could be laid down. However, when a great public question is involved, there is no sense in splitting hairs, least in doing so, we should lose sight of the main question: A Court of Appeal is desirable, no doubt of it; but a Court of Appeal, constituted as the *News* wants it, would be a burlesque on law and common sense. So far as our contemporary's opposition to the bill now before the Legislature goes, we are with him; but we can imagine no state of things more prejudicial to the public interests or detrimental to the proper and honest administration of the law than for a newspaper to open its columns to articles defamatory of a judge by any suitor who happens to have been worsted in a case. If such a practice were to obtain generally there would be an end to both law and justice, and the public would be indirectly placed under a tyranny more galling than any that could possibly arise under the present system. Let us have a Court of Appeal; but we don't want the *News* to usurp gubernatorial functions by appointing the third judge.

THEATRE ROYAL TO-NIGHT.—The benefit of George W. Marsh takes place to-night, with a good programme offered for the occasion. It is scarcely necessary for us again to repeat our convictions upon having a well conducted theatre in our midst, for that advantage must be obvious to everyone. It is our duty to the Colony to attract visitors living near to our shores, and to gratify those who may chance to be amongst us. It is also our duty to provide rational recreation and amusement for our own people; and the theatre, properly managed, can be made to do much in this respect. Mr. Marsh has given good entertainments, as far as the material at his command allowed. The family are also old residents of Victoria, and derive a claim from that ground for a corresponding patronage to-night. In addition, Mr. Marsh, whilst lessee, has not forgotten to discharge the obligation resting on him to put the decorations of the house in a fit and proper condition and make it agreeable to those who attend. Upon the whole, as a thoroughly respectable citizen of the town, we acknowledge his claims upon the public, and trust to see his son receive an appreciative patronage.

THE BRITISH MINISTRY.—A paragraph in our telegraphic summary of Saturday, relative to the action of Lord Cranbourne, has given rise to a belief that the noble lord has succeeded Disraeli as Premier. Lord Cranbourne, it will be remembered, offered a resolution on the Irish Church question, which proposed the adoption of a medium policy between that proposed by the Government and that offered by Mr. Gladstone. It is possible that the former measure was carried and that Lord Cranbourne has succeeded to the Premiership; but a telegram to our reporter below brought an answer that he had heard of no change in the Ministry.

NANAIMO.—The steamer Enterprise, on her way from New Westminster, came round by Nanaimo. There were three vessels waiting to load, the Nestor, Shooting Star and Eldorado, the total tonnage of which is 3500 tons. We understood, upon inquiry, that the load never looked better than at present, while the depth attained gives a guarantee of greater improvement at greater depth. We shall watch with interest all progress made in the further development of the Nanaimo mine, for we have no greater interest than coal on the Island.

The Portland folk telegraphed on Saturday that the steamer Active, having been four days off Columbia river bar, unable to cross owing to stormy weather, had probably come on to Victoria. A later telegram, received yesterday at this office, announces that the Active reached Portland at one o'clock yesterday morning. She will probably sail for Victoria to-morrow.

The Siwash captured in the carpenter's shop on Good Friday morning appears to be a crackman of the first grade. The very coat he wore is identified as having been stolen, with other property, from the shop of Mr. J. Grahamslaw two weeks ago. The thief will come up for exemplary punishment to-day.

CORRECTION.—In the debate in the Council upon the motion of the hon. Robson's road to St. Marys and thence to the head of navigation on the Fraser, the name of the hon. Smith was inserted by mistake for the name of the hon. Trutch, the latter gentleman speaking twice before the Committee.

THE ORIFLAMME, a fine, large steamship, takes the place of the California for Alaska via Victoria, and her sailing from San Francisco has been fixed for this afternoon. Her detention until to-day will enable the Post Office authorities to place aboard our mail, which was due yesterday at San Francisco.

A TELEGRAM announces the arrival at Yale on Saturday of the Cariboo express and mail.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 9th April, 1868.—Saturday, the 11th inst., to Tuesday, the 14th inst., inclusive, will be kept as Easter holidays at the Public Offices.—By His Excellency's Command, CHARLES GOOD, Assistant Colonial Secretary.

ANOTHER BURLARY.—On last Tuesday night, sometime between 8 and 12 o'clock, the dwelling of Adjutant Vinter, of the Rifle Corps, in Victoria west, was entered by burglars and robbed of some \$300 worth of clothing and jewelry, the property of Mr. Musgrave W. Anderson. A coat belonging to Mr. Vinter was also taken.

FROM BURRARD INLET.—The ship Rockwood, laden with lumber for Sydney, Australia, was towed down on Saturday night by the steamer Isabel from Stamp's mill, and is at anchor in the outer harbor. The ship Simoda is loaded at Moody's mills for China.

NEW CLOTHING STOCK.—Mr. W. Wilson, of Government Street, has received a portion of his spring stock of clothing, which he is offering at unprecedentedly low prices. The goods comprise the latest styles and patterns from the best London makers.

CONFEDERATION AT YALE.—On Thursday last an enthusiastic Confederation meeting was held at Yale. Addresses were made by several citizens, and resolutions advising the incorporation of this Colony with the Dominion passed.

The new schooner Blanche, built by Capt. Stamp at Burrard Inlet for the Sandwich Island trade, was towed into this harbor on Saturday. She is of about 50 tons burthen and will be fitted with sails here.

INQUEST.—A partial examination of the body of the Indian found in the iron house on Douglas street leads to the belief that he was brutally murdered. The inquiry stands adjourned until to-day.

THE FARMERS in the interior are engaged in ploughing. Favorable weather is three weeks or a month in advance of that of last spring.

The Enterprise returned on Saturday evening at 6:15 o'clock. She called at Nanaimo on her way down and took in about 30 tons of coal.

FAITHFUL MINISTERS OF HEALTH.—In examining the vessels at the various wharves we find among the curiosities of our commerce the brig Miranda, just in from Truxillo with a cargo of Honduras Sarsaparilla for Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co. of Lowell. So particular are this firm as to the articles used in compounding their various remedies, that they have this drug like some others they consume, gathered for them by a skillful agent of their own in the tropical regions of its growth. He informs us that there are many species of this plant, but two of which are really valuable in medicine; the qualities of these are also affected by the time of gathering, mode of curing, etc., operations which in that region of unreliable workmen impose a heavy labor upon him. One of the inert varieties of Sarsaparilla grows wild in our own forests, while several others, nearly worthless, abound in Central and South America. The intelligent agent assured us that the virtues of this drug had never been fully told, and that the reason of the low esteem in which many hold it is mainly due to the importation of such immense quantities of the worthless varieties. His accounts of his trips to Honduras and his business excursions along the Gulf of Dulce and the rivers of Montagua and Santiago and among the adjacent mountains were of intense interest. We can but commend and honor his employers for the faithfulness and energy with which they execute their trust as ministers to the public health, and we suspect that this course is at least one of the reasons why their medicines are held in such extraordinary favor throughout the civilized world.—[New York City News.

British Columbia Ruled and Ruined.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I request you will permit me to ask a question? Who is the Governor? Everyone knows Governor Seymour was sent here from England to direct the fortunes of this young Colony. But is he the Governor? Judging by the evidence before me, I am inclined to believe that Mr. Harper, a gentleman from the Southern States of America, is in fact the governor.

You remember the route to Cariboo by the Harrison river, Douglas, Pemberton Meadows, Lillooet and Clinton? It was far superior to the new route by land from Yale to Clinton. This road passing through an impenetrable wilderness. It is a triumph of art and wasteful extravagance; to it is transferred the traffic from the other line, and the consequence is visible; the squatters have abandoned their farms and the richest district in the country is ruined—by a triumph of art. A road through the wilderness, not the way to any garden is clearly a job.

You heard of the Big Bend excitement in 1866, when thousands rushed from San Francisco to find nothing. The excitement was accepted at headquarters as evidence. Another road through another wilderness was made at vast expense. Big Bend was deserted long ago, and there is another awful gash in the breast of the young Colony. Excitement is a bad witness! The tolls levied on the Yale road is collected by policemen: but under the present system it is impossible to check their accounts. I believe they are respectable men, but that is an accident. I do not find fault with them but with the system which is in truth a great temptation.

I suppose you are aware of the fact that the market in the gold mines of Cariboo is supplied with flour, bacon and beans, produced in California; you also know that in the valleys of British Columbia all these necessities may be produced in great quantities by experience and irrigation. We have no farmers in the country except the Cornwalls and three or four others. What has his Excellency done to encourage a home supply for the home market? Nothing at all. Is not it a shame to see the adventurous gold seekers of a British Colony, under such circumstances, depending on the foreigner for supplies? Down there in Victoria and New Westminster the people

live on the produce of the soil. Cariboo is the capital and the miners the soul of the Colony. Let them have cheap flour and beef, the best of everything at the lowest price, and the Colony will grow like an English oak. Half the gold region has never been ex-

plored. Cheap provisions will double the population in the mines and as a natural consequence the whole Colony will flourish. The high price of provisions has thinned the population in the mines. Is his Excellency aware of the fact that if the miners were to leave there would be no people to be ruled. We have no farmers in the country. The squatters are broken down miners, men without experience or capital; they irrigate their patches and produce barley and hay to feed the pack mules. I do not expect his Excellency to become a farmer, but surely he should encourage agriculture. With a very small capital employed in fields within 30 miles of the mines he could this year produce wheat enough to feed all the miners, and if it were sold at the price of wheat in San Francisco it would leave a large surplus as interest on the expenditure.

It was a mere accident that the colony escaped this year. A few grasping speculators proceeded to buy all the wheat grown in the country. With this crop in their possession they could command any price in the mines or starve the miners, if a severe winter had come upon us. Mr. Harper, who happens to have, in Cariboo, the best market for his beef, saw the danger; he went into the wheat market and succeeded in getting about half the crop. To preserve his beef market he would sacrifice his flour and save British Columbia.

Is it not a sad sight to see such a colony as this in such a state? Its very life so visibly dependent on an accident that may occur at any time. Would it not be advisable to make Harper Deputy Governor of Cariboo? If any man of common sense had an interest in the general welfare of the place it would prosper.

It is true that extravagance in road making and an expensive, useless crowd of officials tend to make the people of this colony wish for a new form of Government. A great many persons suppose that union with Canada would be a desirable change, a great gain to the people of British Columbia. Canada is a great country; her statesmen have exhibited great ability, but a great portion of her territory is yet without a population. Is it reasonable to suppose that Canadian statesmen would direct any of the labour or capital required at home to the valleys of this remote land? A farmer without sufficient capital is sure to neglect that part of the farm farthest from his house. Nations are managed in the same manner. In fact, British Columbia is too young to be married and too poor. She requires education; she has no fortune, no surplus produce. Marry for love is all moonshine, an idea "played out." An union with Canada would be no loss to her, no gain to us. We require a local, cheap Government, to connect the valleys by clearings and to encourage a home supply for the home market at Cariboo. If we cannot get rid of the expensive system that provides us with roads through irclaimable districts, and a crowd of paid idlers, let us make the match right off. It is better to be the farthest end of a farm managed by skill than the field next the house where the farmer sleeps all day and leaves his work to deputies.

G. A. K.
The valley by Pavilion Mountain, Clinton, March 2, 1868.

P. S.—A copy of the *Times* of the 4th of January last, posted for me in London that day, arrived at Clinton on the 2d of March, and with it I received a copy of your paper, also published on the 4th of January, and, I suppose, posted the same day. The postal arrangements in this colony appear to be the worst in the world. Does England intend to hold British Columbia? Is it possible that the waste and negligence are signs of leave taking!

The Pontifical Zouaves.

[From the Montreal Gazette.]

Yesterday morning about nine o'clock the Zouaves met at the Jesuit's Church, for inspection of baggage. Thence they proceeded to the Bishop's Palace, where they had an interview with His Lordship, and bade farewell to their friends, and the clergy. A mass was then chanted in the Bishop's Chapel and the Zouaves, accompanied by their friends and relatives and all the clergy and students of the city, marched to the station. The streets were crowded with spectators, who received the Papal soldiers with cheers. Arriving at the station they ran the usual gauntlet of handshaking, embraces, crushing, and staring, as if they were a cross between a what is-it and a dying martyr. One unfortunate young hero from the country who knew nobody gloomed on the platform, and kissed his hand frantically at nothing. The others cheered dispersedly, and shook hands widely with everybody accessible; then the whistle booted, the crowd shouted, three small guns were fired, and amid waving caps and kerchiefs, the train moved away. Thus ended the first act of one of the most extraordinary dramas ever enacted in Canada. A modern crusade in which have listed the flower of Canadian youth, and whose battlefield, if war arises, will be thousands of miles from home, under unfamiliar skies, and among an alien people. We trust that they may not like the captives of old weep when sitting superfluous, ten embers of the old land.

The uniform of the Zouaves is a plain gray jacket and knickerbockers, with black velvet cuffs and collars, and white gaiters, and a white turban.

George Francis Train Setting Ireland on Fire.

G. F. T. writes the following among a thousand and one letters to the New York World:

IMPERIAL HOTEL, Wednesday, Jan. 20.
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Annexation Seward.

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Royal Artillery.—Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—A sergeant in the Royal Artillery writes, on December 12th, 1862, from Poonamattie, Madras Presidency, that his right leg, from the ankle to the calf, was a quagmire of disease and corruption that he was on the hospital roll for twelve months without any improvement in his case; that he, as a forlorn hope, resolved to try Holloway's celebrated Ointment and Pills. These soon gave ease, expelled the bad humours from the limb, healed the apparently incurable sore, and restored him to sound health. Soldiers and sailors are earnestly recommended to have recourse to these invaluable medicaments for curing old wounds, sores, or ulcers—more particularly when they have arisen from imprudence, and seem incurable.

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